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David Laing and wife of Challis, Idaho, are in the city for a few weeks. Mr. Laing is at the head of the Challis forest reserve and he is here on business connected with his official duties.

Advertisers must have their copy for the Evening Standard the evening before the day on which the advertisement is to appear in order to insure publication.

Buried in Sacramento—The numerous Ogdens friends of Thomas Fahay will be pained to learn of his death, which occurred at Sacramento, California, February 27th. He is survived

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SEARCH FOR DETECTIVE BROWN

Wanted for Alleged Theft of Diamonds and Valuable Papers

Los Angeles, March 21.—Mrs. Mary Wilmot of Allentown, Pa., accompanied by her family and Private Detective John Reese, is in this city on a search for former Detective George Brown, of Allentown, whom she accuses of having stolen \$15,000 worth of diamonds and valuable papers from her safe deposit box in an Allentown bank, some months ago.

Russell C. Wilmot, her son, 21 years old, became insane today, presumably from worry over the affair. Detective Reese is armed with a warrant for Brown, issued at Allentown. Brown was traced as far as Chicago, and it was learned that he purchased a ticket there for Los Angeles.

Mrs. Wilmot says that Brown obtained possession of the key to her safety deposit box through misrepresentation, and fled after taking the diamonds and papers. He was a city detective in Allentown and had borne a good reputation.

REPUBLICAN MEMBERS ARMED WITH TARIFF DOCUMENTS

In Defense of Provisions of Payne Bill Against Every Protective Duty Unless It Is a Revenue Producer—Payne and Clark Forces to Line Up Against Each Other on Many Questions—Will Jointly Fight Oppositions Where Increased Duty Is Asked.

Washington, March 21.—That there will be a lively contest over the tariff bill is evidenced by the preparations that are being made by the sponsors for the bill and by those who oppose it.

Chairman Payne, supported by his chief lieutenant, Representative John Dalzell, Pennsylvania, and the other republican members of the house ways and means committee, together with Representative Broadhead, Louisiana, the newly appointed democrat, will be armed with thousands of documents and communications in the defense of the provisions of the Payne bill.

The committee's old room is on the house floor of the capitol, and yesterday "field headquarters" were established there by Mr. Payne. Directly beneath the headquarters of the Payne forces are the headquarters of the enemy, the democrats, the Champ Clark has taken possession of John Sharp Williams' old room, and was today occupied with the preparation of the minority. The democratic members had held "councils of war" for the past few days in the Clark headquarters.

They will make a strong fight against every protective duty in the Payne bill, unless it is a revenue producer.

While the Payne and Clark forces will be lined up against each other on many questions, there probably will be several duties on which they will join in fighting every opposition. This is due to the fact that Mr. Payne is not a high tariff man. When an amendment is offered to increase the duty of \$1 a thousand feet provided for lumber by the Payne bill, Mr. Payne and Mr. Clark will stand together in opposition to the increased duty, and each will find that some of his trusted aides have deserted him. This illustrates the feeling that prevails throughout the membership of the house, provided that every member should work for the interests of his individual constituency and that the tariff question is a local one.

There is one point about the new bill on which a controversy is expected to be heated, but which, it is believed, will be given much consideration in the senate. That is the revision of the present tariff law with regard to ambiguous phraseology. The changes in the wording of the various paragraphs and sections of the bill has been made in accordance with the recommendations of Thomas Donaherty, assistant counsel of the treasury department, who has prosecuted customs cases for the government.

DOCTOR SAID

Much Sickness Caused by Coffee Drinking.

It is wise to use care in the selection of your table beverage. The experience of several ill families proves this and one of them is a very interesting story.

"We were induced to quit coffee about eight years ago because of its injurious effects. The doctor advised us to stop it entirely and we began to use Postum."

"While we drank coffee we had headache, sleeplessness, stomach troubles, palpitation of the heart, etc. We have found no injurious effects from Postum, and are clear of all the old coffee troubles. It has a true color, a delicious flavor, and we feel free to drink all we wish of it."

"My brother's family has used Postum for eight years, and has been benefited as we have. A Swedish family, neighbors, used to drink coffee for years but finding it harmful, have quit and now use Postum."

"A number of other families we know here who were habitual coffee drinkers, with the usual results, have now taken up Postum. The doctors here say much sickness is caused by drinking coffee."

"Some of them did not like Postum at first, but when we showed them how to make it dark and rich, according to directions on pkg., they liked it better than coffee, and it agrees with them."

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ment throughout the country, supplemented with extensive information and data supplied by Major Herbert M. Lord, U. S. A., who was clerk of the ways and means committee during the Dingley revision.

Notable among the changes brought about by the suggestions which were based on the decisions of the courts and the board of general appraisers, are the new paragraphs and the metal schedules providing duties on steel, wood or steel shavings; diamond steel, grit, iron sand and similar articles; chromite metal and ferro manganese, ferro tungsten, ferro silicon and similar metals; alloys and other mixed metals not specifically provided for; and the general provision restricting the use of the terms iron plates, steel plates, and plate iron and steel, to articles having planar surfaces for use as parts of construction but not as tools or instruments in manufacturing.

Synthetic camphor, a product of synthetic chemistry, made from oil of turpentine, has been assessed a duty of six cents per pound, the same as is now imposed on refined camphor. As a result of an experiment carried on by the department of agriculture with camphor growing in Florida this industry promises to become of considerable importance, it being proposed to plant camphor trees in these sections where the orange industry has been driven out by frosts.

Many changes in the phraseology of paragraphs imposing duties on articles which contain alcohol have been incorporated in the bill, and are expected to increase the revenue considerably.

Much complaint was made that olive oil, imported from France for manufacturing purposes, has been used by foreigners of the poorer classes for food. This has resulted in a proposition that olive oil, to be admitted free of duty, must be rendered unfit for use as food by such means as shall be satisfactory to the secretary of the treasury.

Litigation involving thousands of dollars still is pending in the courts because of the difficulty of determining under what paragraph of the Dingley law a duty on sake, Japanese rice wine, should be imposed. To prevent any similar difficulties in the future rice wine or sake is specifically included in the paragraph of the Payne bill imposing a duty of 40 cents per gallon on still wines. Numerous other changes for similar purposes have been incorporated in the new bill.

RESTORATION OF WILLIE WHITLA IS EXPECTED.

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fight against the rats is to be carried on in order to make the city healthful.

Cleveland, March 21.—The full story of the frustrated attempt to pay over \$10,000 in ransom for the return of Willie Whita, the kidnapped boy, was told today by J. P. Whita, the father, who was instructed in a letter from the kidnappers to leave the money in Flatiron park Saturday night. If no detectives were about the kidnappers promised they would secure the money and deliver the boy safely to the father in a hotel at Ashtabula at 3 o'clock this morning. Whita, deposited the money, as requested, but the Ashtabula police learned of the plans to pay the ransom and went to the park. The kidnappers are supposed to have seen them, for at 6 o'clock the money was intact and not a man had appeared at the spot at which it had been left.

Whita had a score of detectives and twenty-two members of the Pennsylvania constabulary in readiness in this city to start a search for the kidnappers as soon as he had safely secured the boy.

Whita believes that the failure to effect a settlement last night will frighten the kidnappers and they will not communicate with him again. The letter from the kidnappers of Willie came to the parents in Sharon, Pa., Friday afternoon.

Instructions were given him to go along to Ashtabula on Saturday night, leave the \$10,000 under a rock at the base of a gorge in the park at 10 o'clock. At 3 o'clock on the following morning, if the money was obtained by the kidnappers, they promised that the stolen boy would be brought to the Smith hotel in Ashtabula, unarmed. Whita was instructed specifically that he was to be accompanied by no one when he went to deposit the money.

Immediately upon receipt of the letter Whita called on the private detectives in his employ. They wanted a decoy party of his own, but he designated a party of his own, but he did not agree to this. He finally consented to permit the detectives to accompany him to this city and await his summons to start a search for the kidnappers.

At 8 o'clock Whita left Cleveland for Ashtabula. He was accompanied by Detective McCabe. The latter was not as his bodyguard, but was not to go with Whita to the park.

A few minutes after 9 o'clock the kidnappers, in keeping with their promise in their first letter, sent a second letter addressed to C. A. White, the Smith hotel, in Ashtabula. Half an hour later, when no one called for the massive envelope and Mayor Cook and Chief of Police Laskey were apprised of its contents. The mayor ordered all of his police to institute a search for the captors.

Promptly at 8 o'clock Whita left the package of bills in the park. He went to the designated spot alone, feeling certain that his compliance with the request of the kidnappers would prove the means of delivering his boy back to him.

Three policemen who had been sent out from the Ashtabula central station saw Whita leave the money in the park. They told Chief Laskey of their discovery and received instructions to remain on guard at the park and capture the kidnappers should they appear.

In the meantime Whita returned to the city and had established communication with his detectives in Cleveland. They advised him to go to the hotel for his boy exactly at the time set. He promised to observe orders.

Five hours later Whita started after his boy. On the way a policeman informed him that three officers had been on guard at the park and no one had called for the money.

Whita was overcome at this news. He went to the park and found his package of money undisturbed. During the remainder of the night and all day today the officers in vain searched the country around Ashtabula.

Whita came to Cleveland and later returned to Sharon.

Sharon, Pa., March 21.—J. P. Whita, father of Willie Whita, the kid-

napped boy, returned today from a fruitless trip to Cleveland.

"We know no more now," said Mr. Whita, "than we did before."

It is the general belief here that the abductors, realizing to what an extent the public is aroused over the kidnapping, will not dare to open up correspondence with Mr. Whita until public interest has abated.

The terrible anxiety and uncertainty as to their little son's fate has had its effect on both the parents of the boy. The father refuses to sleep at all, and keeps up through sheer willpower. The mother, who will not allow her daughter, Salina, out of her sight, is showing the effects of the worry and today physicians gave orders that she is to be not allowed to see any visitors.

Hundreds of letters from all over the country continue to pour in from friends and strangers alike, tendering sympathy.

The squad of twenty-three of the state constabulary, which arrived here last night, is undergoing an enforced idleness, owing to the state law prohibiting an armed body of men from one state entering another.

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OFFICIAL CALL IS ISSUED

For Twentieth Annual Session of Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress

Denver, March 21.—Secretary Arthur F. Francis of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress today issued the official call for the twentieth annual session of that association, to be held in Denver Aug. 16 to 21, inclusive, of this year. Added interest attaches to the meeting this year from the fact that President Taft will be present and take part in the proceedings.

A large attendance of representatives of the Latin-American countries is also expected in the interest of the movement for closer commercial relations between this country and the republics of Central and South America and Mexico. One thing will be barred, according to the executive committee, and the discussions of a political nature.

Besides the question of closer relations with the southern republics, with special reference to the early completion of the Panama canal and the consequent stimulating commercial developments in the Trans-Mississippi states, the following questions will come under discussion:

National defense, with special reference to the needs of the Pacific coast and Hawaii.

An adequate merchant marine and the need of government aid in its up-building and maintenance.

Conservation of national resources. This promises to be one of the leading questions to come before the congress. Irrigation and reclamation of semi-arid lands.

Waterway improvements. Drainage of submerged lands. Scientific dry farming.

Alaska. Separate statehood for New Mexico and Arizona.

Parcels post.

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Gulf ports and the railroads.

Panama canal.

Hawaii.

The Philippines.

Department of mines.

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Sugar beets and cane industry.

Barataria and Lafourche canal.

National finance.

Consular service.

The governor of each state and territory may appoint ten delegates and not more than twenty. The mayor of each city may appoint one delegate and one additional delegate for every five thousand people, not, however, to exceed ten delegates. Each business organization may appoint one delegate and one additional for every fifty members, not to exceed ten delegates. Each county may appoint one delegate. Governors of states and territories, members of congress, and former presidents of the Trans-Mississippi congress are ex-officio members.

OFFICERS SEARCHING FOR "MONTANA KID"

Denver, Colo., March 22.—With Frank Potts and William St. Clair in jail charged with holding up a Denver & Rio Grande train at Military Junction on the morning of February 13, the federal officers, employed on the case, are searching for a man known as "Montana Kid," who is wanted on the charge of being the third man implicated in the robbery. "Montana Kid" was last seen in company with Potts at Fort Collins about three weeks ago, since which time no trace of him can be found.

BOY OF MAN FOUND IN RAILROAD YARDS IDENTIFIED

Oakland, Cal., March 22.—The body of a man found a week ago in a box car at Melrose Station, near here, has been identified as that of Cyrus Foster, a well-to-do farmer of Springfield, Mass. The identification was made by George B. Ferguson, husband of a niece of the dead man.

NO NEED OF CALCULATION.

Teacher—Now, Tommy, suppose you borrowed \$50 from your father, agreeing to pay him \$5 a month, how much would you owe him at the end of a year?

Tommy—Fifty dollars.

Teacher—You don't know how to calculate, Tommy.

Tommy—No, but I know human nature.—New York Herald.

HE IS LEFT ONLY ONE DOLLAR BY HIS WIFE

RYAN WILL NOT HAVE MEANS TO DEFEND HIMSELF.

Fortune Left by Woman He Murdered Goes to Her Two Sons in Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., March 22.—A will, made shortly before death by Mrs. Mary E. Ryan, who together with her daughter, Mrs. Nellie Behan, was recently shot and killed by her husband, John "Posse" Ryan, and just found, makes an entire change in the disposition of her \$5,000 estate, and may leave Ryan without means to conduct his defense on the charge of murder. According to the instrument, Ryan gets only \$1, and the remainder of the estate is bequeathed to her two sons, Eugene Clouser of Thermopole, Wyo., and Franklin Clouser of Guernsey, Wyo., and her daughter, Mrs. Behan whose portion will now go to her husband.

INDIANS GRADUALLY BECOMING EXTINCT

Washington, March 21.—The red man is gradually disappearing through the ravages of tuberculosis.

To save the Indian race from extinction by this disease and yet lead it into the ways of the white man, is the task which officials of the bureau of Indian affairs have undertaken.

When the white man undertook to civilize the Indian tuberculosis was almost unknown among the race. Today the Indians are dying off at the rate of approximately a thousand per annum. Of all the tribes none seem to be so susceptible as the Sioux Indians in South Dakota. Last year nearly one thousand members of this tribe were afflicted. They live in unsanitary surroundings.

Officials are determined to teach the Indian the value of sanitation, personal cleanliness and other preventative measures.

DEMOCRATS EXPLAIN FACTS

Leading Up to Opposition of Minority Leader Clark on Rules

Washington, March 21.—Another explanation was forthcoming today as to the course of certain democrats in opposing Minority Leader Clark last Monday by voting for the Fitzgerald amendments to the house rules.

Representatives Keilher and Peters of Massachusetts and Representative Francis Burton Harrison of New York issued a statement, in which they assert that so generally has the action of the democrats who voted for the measure been misrepresented and misinterpreted that they wish to present to those interested the facts.

The Fitzgerald amendments are defended as being very effective in the curtailment of the power of the speaker. For six months, Representative Fitzgerald, acknowledged as the best parliamentarian on the democratic side, had been preparing the amendments. It is said, but no opportunity was offered to bring them before the democratic caucus for consideration.

"He was unable to do so because of the high-handed manner adopted by a few ill-advised friends of Mr. Clark. Referring to the fight in the house, the three members say that when Mr. Clark offered his resolution, he refused any democrat a chance to speak."

JUST BEFORE PROHIBITION GOES INTO EFFECT.

(AT THE BANQUET)

"TOM!"

Here is luck to the man and woman who unfortunately had careless mothers, who in giving the little ones a bath, left the room and left the SPONGE in reach where they could swallow it.

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"And then he did the very thing we members have been deprecating and fighting against for years—he moved the previous question," the state.

"It is bad enough to be gagged by our opponents, but when the muzzle was clapped upon us by our friends, we protested, and successfully."

The Clark resolution is attacked because of the six democratic members proposed by Mr. Clark for the committee, members from Colorado, Indiana, Illinois and Pennsylvania, with nearly one-third of the total democratic members in the present house. Every man except Representative Hitchcock of Nebraska represented a southern state, it is said.

"No encouragement to the democracy of the great states of Ohio and Indiana in the magnificent battles they are fighting," the statement concludes, "no voice to New York or the great middle west, and yet we are censured for not supinely submitting to such action."

FOUND DEAD, DRESSED AS IF FOR WEDDING

Spokane, March 21.—With three bullet holes in his head and dressed as if for a wedding, the body of A. Lewandoski, a cabinet maker, was found in a secluded spot on Fort Wright military reservation this afternoon.

His clothing had been saturated with kerosene and set on fire, doubtless to destroy marks of identification. His overcoat lay two hundred feet from his body, indicating that he had been murdered elsewhere and the body carried to the spot where it was found. Money and jewelry on his person were not taken.

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